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EIGHT PAGES.

COKING LANDS **TRANSACTIONS**

BIG GREENE COUNTY COAL

One Block of 6,000 Acres Bought by Big Interest at \$200 an Acre; Another Piece Brings \$500,000.

ew railroad lines.

Transactions Totalling Nearly Two Million Dollars Mean the Early Development of the Coking Coal on the Western Bank of the Mononga-

GREENE COUNTY HOLDINGS.

Pittsburg-Bul'olo Company, 12,500 acres; Pittsburg and Westmoreland Coal Company, 10,340 acres; Emerald Coal Company, 11,000 acres; Emerald Coal Company, 11,000 acres; Monongany, three tracts aggregating 2,000 acres; Mononganela River Consolidited, 2,000 acres; Frank M. Osborne, John G. Patterson and others, 10,360 acres; Youngstown Sheet and Tubo Company, James A. Cumpbell, L. 200 acres; Andrews & Hitchcook Iron Company of Youngstown, 1,000 acres; W. A. Stone et al., 1,000 acres; W. A. Sto Pittsburg-Buf alo Company, 12.

Big deals in Greene county coking closed just before the 6,000-acre deal coal for a total of 7,500 acres and at a and was for coal owned by J. V. total price of more than \$1,700,000 Thompson, being a small part of his have been closed within the past week. The principal deal is for 6,000 1,500 acre trac. bought in this inscribe at \$200 per acre, this being a stance is situated in Morgan and Jeffold block composed of many separt ferson townships, near the town of ate holdings. The identity of the buyer of this block has not been officially this point the coal is \$40 feet below surface and the seam is said to avernmentally interest is a hig one, and are over seven feet in thickness. The purchasing interes: is a hig one, and age over seven feet in thickness. The hat it is closely associated with J. V. Pennsylvania Rallroad, the Pittsburg Chompson, the Uncontown banker and & Lake Eric and the Wabash Rallthe Pittsburg paners at \$250 per acre, but from official sources The Courier is able to state that the price was \$200 per acre.

The commencian of this one deal course was \$200 per acre.

The consummation of this one deal joins the property. The Western means, in all probability, a rapid declerated to the coking coal field in for a charter at Harrisburg and will ficial announcement is made.

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The second deal was the purchase of 1,500 acres at a total price of about 4,500 acres at a total price of about 5,500,000 by Charles McKnight. President of the National Bank of Western Pennsylvania, of Pittsburg, and Alexander Laughlin of the Pittsburg Steel

Company who will form the property will garged not to do so. The Company will semain in the contraction Company who will form the property will semain in the contraction of the pittsburg steel. Construction Company, who will form deeds for the property will remain in a company to be known as the West-my name for some time, perhaps a a company to be known as the Westmy name for some time, perhaps a
err Coke Company to operate the
year or two and development work
will be carried on quietly
will be carried on miletly
The fact

ers of the coal, chiefly farmers, in 1900 burg and Cleveland men interested in coal interests and placed them in the hands of three trustees, of P. Markie, J. E. Adams and D. T. Hopwood. The latter transferred the

title to Mr. Boileau.

The Pennsylvania railroad, it is stated, will during the coming year pro-vide transportation facilities from the new field by broadening its present narrow gauge line, the Waynesburg & Washington railroad, at an expenditure of \$890,000. It will be made standard gauge. It is further stated that a loop extension of the same line will be built to Mil shore on the Monongahela river, furnishing an addi-tional outlet for the traffic. This will ard creek. cost about \$400,000, making a total of \$1,300,000 to be spent by the Pennsylvania railroad alone in the new territory. The Baltimore & Ohio and the Pittsburg & Lake Eric railroads whose lines are also close to the face a Greene county fields, are expected to plant. make connection to secure their share of the new business. This will mean Greene county is to have a net TRANSACTION IN work of railroads for the rapid development of her resources. The latter two systems, as well as the Pennayi-vania, have laid down surveys for the new field over several different routes, including a connection with the Wheeling branch of the Baltimore & Ohio this work having been done largely at the instance of J. V. Thompson. Construction work on the new lines

Control of the second control of

Aggregate production for the week fell off upwards of 44,000 tons owing to the reduction of running time by

one day throughout the region, on account of the Christmas holidars. RAILROADS TO ENTER FIELD. the center of the trace being in the Shipments on non-necessary station, all in the same proportion, as the independent operators cleared their yards to the color which stocked the eastern end of the county. The county coal is an easy shafting operation, and sidings of the coke which stocked in on them during the previous week. Last week closed with practically all the western in the western in the western in the coal in the western in the coal in the western in the coal of the way. this coke out of the way. portion of the county. Over 200,000 acres of coal in the eastern end, across the Monongahela river from the

Total shipments fell off less than 500 cars. All of the plants of the H. C. Frick Coke Company were reported by "Klandyke" region in Fayette county, that concern as running only four days but a majority of the independent plants, including the W. J. Rainey inis held by large coal and steel inter-ests, some of which also, undoubtedly will be developed as a result of the torest operated five days and the re-mainder were divided almost equally Geologically, the coal lies in what between five and six days. As most is known as the Waynesburg syn-cline and is mainly to the east of the Am'ty anticline, similarly located as isx days, this caused quite a falling to that of the Pittsburg and West-

moreland Coal Company to the north and adjoining the holdings of Frank rains is helping to keep up the water M. Osborne & Co., and on the west of supply throughout those portions of The soft weather with its occasional the tract lately purchased by the Emerald Coal Company, consisting of Messrs, Julian Kennedy, E. H. Jennings, Crawford, Henderson, Islin and possible for the harder weather which cahers, who made purchase of 11,000 may set in before long, acres during October from J. V. Thompson.

McKnight and Alex. Laughlin, Fittsburg, 1,500 acres.

The deal for the tract purchased by terest is still crowding its production, Messrs. McKnight and Laughlin was having fired 170 evens during the week closed just before the 6,000-acre deal and was for coal owned by 1. V. of 137 ovens for the week. Cochran the company of the control of 7,500 acres and at a land was for coal owned by 1. V. of 137 ovens for the week. Cochran the company of the control of 138 ovens for the week. Messra, normalistic closed just before the 6,000-acre dear at the access for the week. Comman and was for coal owned by J. V. of 137 ovens for the week. Comman Thompson, being a small part of his Bros., started to make coke at the Spring Grove plant, fixing its 61 ovens. Spring Grove plant, fixing its 61 ovens. pointing to increased production in that direction before long. On the whole, the closing period of the year long period of the year long production holding its own, the feeling of operators remains sangular and nothing has developed in the business situation to reverse the previous opinion that better times are close at hand.

For that reason the turn of the year is awaited with much interest. The most pointed sign in the iron and steel horizon is the fact that the United States Steel Corporation is sleadily pressing forward to begin steel male of the corporation.

In the Pittsburg district and counting the tribution point to finds production holding its own, the feeling of operators remains sangular and nothing has developed in the lust first. Market conditions show a making after the first. Market conditions show a month as it is a very important contract, under which some 1,500 and 10 and

ing within a few months at its coor-mons new Gary plan near Hammond. Ind. A broad market will be required Eastern Greene county by the extension of railroad lines. The coal was bought for development and some of the buyers, is associated with its purchase when the official encountermy is made.

The attent of the required and the coal and coke ing industry will be found to be associated with its purchase when the official encountermy is made. to absorb the increasing tonnage from menth to month which this works will one time chairman of Carnegie, Phipps

the coal and it is the intention of the

HOLIDAY CUTS DOWN PRODUCTION; COKE PRICES ARE AGAIN FIRM

TRACT SOLD AT \$1,700,000. Independent Operators Hav. Cleared Their Yards of the Recent Accumulation of Coke Open Weather is Helping the Manufacturing Side of the Industry.

PRODUCTION.

For the week ending Saturday, December 26, 1908:
Districts, Ovens, In. Out.
Civille ... 24,510 13,432 11,432 14,034 25,105 251,003

Total ... 114,038

District Connellsville ... 39,125

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Districts, Ovens, In. Out.
Total ... 114,038

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Civille ... 23,510 13,037 11,473 14,1152

Accounted the total and in the Connellsville resion making centers show that industry quiet.
In the Pitsburg district 41 out of 60 stacks are in blast. In the Mahorians and Shenango Valleys ten formaces are working and eight late. The water by a shortage of labor.

Total ... 3,5,350 20,951 15,735 251,903

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MANUFACTURED.
By

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The American Metal Market and Manufact and Manufac Total.. 37.856 22.031 15.735 251,303 MANUFACTURED.

output. While Gary will draw its creating material from West Virginia, as far as the plans have developed, the lact of its entry into the market indicates an optimistic feeling by the

of their delivery agreements extending beyond the first quarter of 190 Quotations are: Furnace coire, \$1. 16 \$2 15; Spot furnace, \$1.85 to \$2.00 Foundry coke, \$2.25 to \$2.50. The vi if le supply of spot coke is much le

than 10 days ago.

Secretary George B. Irvin of the li dependent Coke Operators' Assoc tion, in his review for the week, say, Out of 37,500 active evens in the r gion, 23,200 are in blast and 14,300 a out, making 61 per cent, working, or

Total. 37.850 22.091 15.795 251.903

MANUFACTURED.
By For Market.
Consumer. Market.
Consumer. Market.
Consumer. Market.
Consultaville 193,340 75.401

Total. 137.830 114.075

SHIPMENUS.
Aggregate from both regions in cars for the week ending December 25, 1908; 1804

To Points West of Pittsburg. 34.881

To Points West of Pittsburg. 34.881

To Points East of Connellaville. 626

To Pittsburg District. 3,310

To Points East of Connellaville. 52.988;
To Pittsburg District. 3,310

To Points East of Connellaville. 626

To Points East of Connellaville. 75.978

Total. 9,305

Total. 9,

et:	Connellsville regions:	
πv	Boston	3,5
rd-	Ruffalo	٦.٥
99	Baltimore	2.1
	Tereland	1,1
1,11	Columbus	1.6
n:	Cheinnati	
ls-	Chicago	26
	Mast St. Louis	2.9
58		
	Joliet	2.0
[1L-]	Louisville	2.6
1 -	New York	4.8
102-	Pitisburg	.ŝ
3.	Transaction (1)	2, 1
e-9	Richmond, Va	.1.0
re	Toledo	2.2
£.	Valley Furnaces	1.3

Discusses Its Relation to the Manufacture of Iron and Steel.

HE CIVES THE EXACT FIGURES.

Head of United States Steel Corporathe Gary Plant,

Ways and Means Committee of Congress, during the tariff bearings,
Judge E. H. Gary, Chairman of the Ecard of Directors of the United States Steel Corporation, speaking of the relation of coke to from and stee making said in making plg iron at \$14.75 per ton, the cost of coke enter ing into the process was \$3.93 per gress ton at furmice or \$4.15 per ton of finished iron. He stated that coke he First National Bank building, Un- had increased in price since 1906, re-

Mr. Gary stated that about one and one-fifth net tons of coke were needed per ton of from. It was not cortain Construction work on the new lines has been held off until the larger in terests were ready to develop the coal. This development now appears to be at hand and the coming year county.

Included in the 6,000 acre purchase is the North Waynesburg field in Morris, Washington and Franklin township, to the northeast of Waynesburg field in Morris, Washington and Franklin township, to the northeast of Waynesburg taken in located on Indian Creek. The sale was made on ships, to the northeast of Waynesburg taken in located and make the narrow gauge railroad, sale included the surface as well as friends in the region.

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the same basis of depreciation and tives

romarison at least \$1 per ton advantage was enjoyed by the corporation states that his entire family, his fath-

ference would be larger.

the corporation, which owns its own could not be communicated with, the advantage is very much more—
probably over \$2."

ONE HUNDRED MINE

Later in his testimony, in discuss tion Enters into interesting Details and Tells of Coke Making Plans for the Gary Plant.

There in his testimony, in discussion the third prices of ore and coke, Judge Gary sald that the figures on the cost of coke to the Steel Corporation included a profit of 54 cents per gross the figure of service to the mishes per gross. ten of coke to the mining company Leaving out profits on coke and ord the average cost of pig iron at all the In his recent testimony before the corporation's furnices would

> Developments in the Steel Trade, The Carnegie Steel Company started its Mingo works in part. The American Steel & Wire Company will n the next few days blow in one of its blast furnaces at Donora and wil also cart one-half of its open-hearth furnaces at that plant. Ten of the It is erchant furnaces in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys are working winle the other furnaces are undergong repairs, indicating their early re sumption,

PROPERTIES CHANGING HANDS; GANS LEADS WITH TWO DEALS.

steel cars has leen insufficient during the past two months.

The Milland Coal & Coke Company at Midland, W. Va., has fired all of its the past week on the sale of an inter-evens. 101 in number, and West Virest in the Brownsville Coke Company, ovens, 101 in number, and West vir. est in the Brownsville Coke Company, ginia operators generally are looking near Brownsville. Other deals are

COKE REGION PEOPLE AFFECTED.

Many Italian Residents Have Lo Their Families and Friends In Great Earthquake.

ed in the disaster.

from the Government in response to include the flower of t possible at this time to recure the plants of any victims. It will be weeks nefer definite and authentic for four-en months. For private thems can be larger?

for the campaign. Already relief an experienced coke maker, funds have been started by Banker P. Discussing conditions, Mr. (Bufano and Anthony Ruckovitch resterday: for the campaign. Bufano and Anthony Ruckovitch, manager of the foreign department of lat the First National Bank. It is expect-if, ed that all the contributions will pass on that the hands of these men, to be

The cost of producing coke at "the There is much distress in the Italween was \$1.75. In settlements about the coke region.
Judge Gary thought on the whole. Not only among the laborers is there the Steel Corporation could produce mental anguish, but those of the bet-

This come from better methods and er, mother, three sisters and a brother, equipments. He had made no allow three the heart of the devastated arree for difference in cost of one or district and have probably perished. ecke. Taking in these nems the diff No response could be received from the ference would be larger. ference would be larger.

"Of course," said Judge Gary, "I am of them. His brother in law is governot speaking from the standpoint of ernor of one of the districts but he

ONE HUNDRED MINERS KILLED IN KENTUCKY.

Branch Collieries Company Mine On Tug River.

than one mudred miners are now be- price and \$500 per acre was their lieved to be hopelessly impresented in answer. local mine of the Lick Branch Cel He has the matter still under cona local mane of the Lick Branch Let like as Company, as a result of a ter liftic explosion at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. While the company post valuable. The awners and their arretively refused to give figure on the age are as follows: W. H. Morris, number of men in the mine and will 150 acres; S. W. Scott, 500 acres; D. permit no one to approach the collery S. Wallon, 175 acres; Albert Adam-tave rescuers, it is estimated no less son, 100 acres, Jonathan Funk, 65 than 200 men were in the mine at the acres; T. J. Wiscarver, 500 acres; time of the disaster. Up until a late hour only 17 of these have been 12 The total acrerge is 1.850 and is moved 12 of whom were dead.

were 36 men now buried under the largest land holders, are acting for debris, all of whom it is thought are the entire block represented

ville coke properties in sight, one such change having occurred during reported to be heading and it is ex-pected that there will be censiderable further activity in the buying and self-

ing of coking coal in the Greene county and other new fields. The sale of the Brownsville interest preceded the purchase by George G. Gans, who previously owned the entire company, of more than 1,70d acres of Greene county coal as noted else where in this issue.

It is estimated that Polly one-fourth of the Branswille company for of the Pahans living in this section came from the devastated regions of the Peerless Connellsville that where death and disaster has been writingly to one of the peerless to the Carolyn operation near the care Mr. Gans sold one-half of his holdbeen wrought by one of the most ter-rible earthquakes of history. The Italian bankers of Western Pennsyl-italian bankers of Western Pennsyl-ens, about 28 acres of Connellsvillens, about 28 acres of Connellsvillens, about 28 acres of Connellsvillens, and a connellsvillens and a connellsvillens. varia have been beseiged with aplens, about 28 acres of Connellsville peaks to seeme information concerning relatives who might have perish considered of special value owing to considered of special value owing to Efforts have been made to secure the fact that it hes within the borough details but to no avail. Messages limits of Brownsville, the plant before the fact that it has within the borough

prairies of any victims. It will be weeks notice definite and authentic for fourteen months. For private reasons, in no way affecting the value. Efforts are already under way to provide finite for the relief of the sell a share but retains a one-half intelector radius. The Charity Complete and the positions of President and the reasons, in no way affecting the value of the property. Mr. Guns decided to provide finite for the relief of the property. Mr. Guns decided to provide finite of the Charity Complete and the positions of President and Treasurer of the company.

ization yesterday afternoon to as super'mendent of the Carolyn consider ways and means of securing works of the Peerless Company, will relief and to plan a definite scheme manage the Braynsville plant. He is

Discussing conditions, Mr. Gans said yesterday:

"The prospects for the coke business during the coming year are excellent. Business gives sions of nicktransmitted to hady through the light from the light from the light for the belief that thallen Consol. Connelisville region has ever seen Matters are still halting over the holidays but when the turn comes things will start with a rush."

\$1,000,000, COAL DEAL UNDER WAY.

George Mingus, Representing Pittsburg Capitalists, Negotlating for 1,890 Acres at Waynesburg.

WAYNESBURG, Dec. 30.-Another coal deal aggregating nearly \$1,000, 600, is being negotiated here by George Mingus of Pittsburg, acting for capitalists of that place.

The coal which he is trying to buy lies just west of town, in Franklin and Center townships, and has never before been transferred. The owners Branch Collieries Company Mine were asked by Mingus to give him a On Tug River.

15 or 30 day option at \$309 per acre
but they unanimously refused this
MAYBURY, Ky., Dec. 30—More offer. He then asked them to name a

moved 12 of whom were dead.

At 10 o'clock this morning the officianiount involved will be \$945,000. S. ials of the mine admitted that there W. Scott and f. J. Wisecarter, the

ern Coke Company to operate the year or two and development work other tracts bought in that section.

Both deals were closed by John W. Bolleau, the Pittsburg coal broker, to the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Bolleau, the Pittsburg coal broker, to the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Bolleau, the Pittsburg coal broker, the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Both the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Both the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Both the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Both the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Both the purchasers at once does not purchased from Joseph and William Both the purchased from Joseph and Wil

ANOTHER COAL DEAL

BUYS BIG TIMBER TRACT,

George G. Gans Purchases a Block From Jasper Augustine. Another deal in Greene county coal has been consummated, but the price in this instance is lower than prevailed in the hig transactions of two months ago. The deal includes 1,722 acres of coal in Wayne, Whitely and

Glimore townships, Greene county, from Jasper Augustine and wife to George G. Gans at \$100 per acre, or ard creek. Mr. Gans has also completed the sale of a one-half interest in the Brownsville Coke Company to George W. Wilson of Pittsburg, for \$70,000 There are 40 acres of coal and sur-

INDIAN CREEK COAL

face and 50 overs at the Brownsville

Lohr Tract of 284 Acres Bought Indian Creek Coal Company.

UNIONTOWN, Dec. 29 -- A deed has

Brownsville Man Purchases Large

Accrage in West Virginia.
MORGANTOWN, Dec. 20.—E. B.
Gribble of Brownsville has purchased tract of timber land consisting of about 150 acres of Frank Shuttles-worth. This land is situated on the Evansville pike. The sum paid for it was ₹3,000.

This is the most valuable tract of timber land in that part of the country. It is thought that there will be about 800,000 feet of lumber when the trees are all sawed up. Several tim-ber men have been trying to buy this land.

OPERATORS TO MEET.

Annual Gathering Will Probably Take Place at Uniontown Next Week. The regular meeting of the Indeendent Coke Operators Association will be held next Wednesday, January , at the rooms of the organization in being risk Rational Bankual meeting suiting in an increase of 46 cents he which has been postponed, may take ton in the cost of Iron.

place at the same time.

The organization was one year old yesterday and includes the great ma-jority of the independent operators

BIG COAL FINDS MADE IN ALASKA. COAL PEACE BOARD .

ported from foreign countries or ship ped from he east to the Pacific coas market and still I was good margin

REVIEWS ITS WORK.

LIST OF COKE OVENS IN The Connellsville District

With Their Owners, Address and Ovens in Blast Corrected to Saturday, Dec 26, 1908

		REVIEWS ITS WORK.	Saturday, Dec 26, 1908			P O Address		
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	Preparing to En er New Fields Coal deposits discovered in Alaska promise to play a part in supplying at least a portion of the western section	in een the operators and the mire worlers this record of the Concilla- tion Board will tale an important	34 100 103 170 400 400 125 909 120	100	Coalbrook Colhers Cont nental No 1 Cont nental No 2 Cont nental No 3 Cont nental No 3 Cross and Davidson	James Cocher H G Frick C H G Frick C	iake Co Jake Co Jake Co Jake Co Jake Co	Driveon Pittsburg Pittsburg tisburg I tisburg Pittsburg Pittsburg Pittsburg Pittsburg Pittsburg
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	Some of the veins are reported of re markable size and their quality runs all, the way from anthracite to lignifes Writing in the Black Diamond	mary showing the distosition of the of the cases that came up for decision One hundred and fifty conplaints were submitted in the three	100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100	5g	Florence Fort Hill Poundry Franklin Frick Cilmore Grace Hecia No 1	E A Humpi W J Ramey H C Frick C Lincoln Coal H C Frick C	nries & Co Joke Co & Cake Co Joke Co	Scottdale New York P theburk Scottdale Pittsburk Uniontown New York N Y F ttsburk
	James G Dudley's 3s of these Alaskan deposits Coal is widely distributed in Alaska Of the approximately 600 000 square miles forming the territory it is ceti	the eal of he third year leaving one bundred and thirty are disposel of within the period covered by the re- port Seventy four were not su- tained a windrawn cleven were	27 500 500 60 120 20 35 100 250	200	Hecla No 2 Hecla No 3 Hesler Hesler Henry Clay Home Hostetter Bumphrey	Besterner Co	Co Joke Co. Viley anellaville Coku Co. ke Co	Pittsburg Pittsburg Everson Pittsburg Scotlaale Pittsburg Pittsburg
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	and coking coals high grade and ordin are bluminous and various grades of lightite. The latter figures represent the workable coal. In that lave leen actually discovered recommunishing surveys having been made in only a portion of the tritory which leaves	the Board recommended that employ ment be given to them. Of the 20 grievinces passed upon by an um	350 20 72 45 40 510	250 23 32 45 40 300 30	Magison Mageo Vammoth	C ville-M rtur Marlison Cok Marce Coke H C Frick (H C Frick (o al Can) & Cake Ca e Ca	P taburs Unjontown Scottdale P tash irg Uniontown Pitasburg Pitasburg Connellsville
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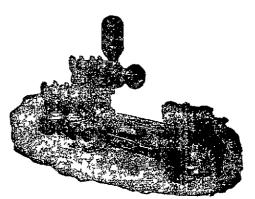
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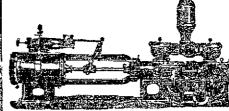
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Greene county s coal development.

The recent wholes de deals in
Greene county coal and its large ac quisition by interests desiring to oper ate has rendered it necessary for the railroad interests to extend their lines into the district without further delay in order to avoid the possibilities of individual competition. As has been pointed out in these columns before the cost of the construction of neces sury railway ilnes bears no apprecia ble relation to the value of the coal

The Pennsylvania Railroad Com pany, the leader in the trio of Connellsville region railroads has an mounced its determination to spend a large sum of mone; in the extension of its lines into the new field and no doubt the Baltimore & Ohio and the Lake Erie railroads will not be far hehind All these railroads are now on the threshold of the Greene county field, and they may be depended upon to look out for their interests as soon as operations begin The coke region, community of railway interests which in former times, took it upon them selves to regulate the opening of new coal fields, has been disintegrated by operation of law and the quickening of

The development of the Greene county field will be similar to that of the Lower Connellsville region which hesitated and halted a long time, but when operations actually begun they were prosecuted with remarkable ac

It is beginning to appear why Joseph Vankirk Thompson is seeking new coal fields to conquer

THE MINING SITUATION

IN THE SECOND WARD The operators of the Pennroyal mine assure us that there are no workings under or near the Second Ward school building the coal run ring out before it reaches that sec The announcement will be reason

ing to parents whose children attend the Second Ward school, but if any Other assurances are desired we have no doubt the owners of the mine will be perfectly willing to furnish them or permit the Borough Engineer to make an examination to satisfy doubters In the mining of coal the proper heedless or wilful workmen

ty lines are often overstepped by ig without the direction or sauction of the mine owners. It has happened in this case in at least one instance, for which settlement was promptly made by the operators as soon as covered that they hid mined under one of the streets

It is the duty of the Town Council to protect the people in their persons and property and they should use all and proper means for do ing so The mining situation in the Second Ward is a proper subject for irvestigation and such an investiga tion conducted with jairness cannot be objectionable to the mine owners and we believe will be welcomed b tuem.

THE GOOD WORK OF

THE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. The Federal Government through Geological Survey is taking an active part in the work of modernizing and safeguarding mining in the United States while at no time seeking to in vade, set aside or in any manner in terfere with, the rights and dutie the States with reference thereto

The Federal Government is playing

a purely paternal par work of the United States Geo logical Survey in locating and mapping the mineral resources of the States has for the most part been carried on

the Federal Government has now add be Republican newspapers of Penn Send The Weekly Coled that of safeguarding the hier of the sylvania and is being followed up by friend Only \$100 a year

then engaged in that development. The establishment of the testing station in Pittsburg is to be followed by the in cation of rescue stations at various points throughout the country The testing station has already dem

onstrated its usefulness, and the growing number of visits to it by operators and their employes shows their appre clation of its work and its possibilities The rescue depots will no doub! prove quite as useful and acceptable to those whom they are designed to serve

FARREACHING CONSEQUENCES OF THE YOUGH IMPROVEMENT The Connellsville boomers of Yough ogheny river improvement has been

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THE PROPOSED CHANGE

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The use of mone, in elections is not ew but it has shown a tendency to eron, n extent and volume tatal now hose who created the custom find I' setting quite beyond their resources
It is undestrable to mix local poli ties with county, State of National solitics so the election of city, bor ough and township officers at a gen eral election is not proposed but it is suggested that the elections may a held every other year which is net fectiv feasible

will this change stop the floor of bribery and corruption which has become a part and parcel of moder amprigning, or merely condense and

intensify it? The advocates of the change in th lection laws will do well to seriously consider this phase of the question

elore pressing it It is true the suggestion is purely reculative but as it now stands the hole subject is one of speculation

EX-SPEAKER McCLAIN'S

DEMAND FOR A SQUARE DEAL The Insurgent element of Republi an politics in Pennsylvania seems to be an especial product of Senatorial The element, has appeared contests cam this year, but it has taken on the preliminary form of uniting in support of former Speaker of the sembly Frank B McClain, chiefly be

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A DEMOCRATIC AWAKENING IMMINENT IN CONNELLSVILLE

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WIFE WOKE SATURDAY TO FIND HUSBAND DEAD BESIDE HER.

George Henderson, of Mt. Pleasant, Went to Bed Early Friday Night And It Is Believed He Took Poison.

CORONER WYNN IS NOTIFIED.

Had Reen Drinking For Several Days and It is Believed That He Became Despondent and Took His Life -A Well Known Glass Worker.

Mr. PLEASANT Dec 26-When

Mrs George Hender on awake at 9 o clock this morning she found he. ausband stiff and orld ir death, and the general impression is that the dead man took some poisonous drug quring the night which ended his life Mrs Henderson and her husband cers it is supposed that the company retired last night at 10 oclock. He intends getting its financial matter appeared to be in the best of spirits although he had been drinking heavily for several days. It was thought his wife and relatives however that after the Christmas celebration that he would discontinue his spree

and everything pointed to his taking up ats work again today.
Earlier in the Jay Ars Henderson and society for his way wardness and pleaded with him "to give up the drink h. hit. She trived to him outer sweeth but hereon." to him oute severely but before retiring he had apparantly recovered from the scoiding and the best of good

and was popular with nearly everyone became tired. Then they retired to in the town. He has two brothers the lower floor to partake of the re prominent business rien, and three freshments served on this occasion

Iteshments served on this occasion. All had such a good time that mid hight came before any could realize the mannation of Coroner Wynn this afternoon will disprove the suicide impression that seems firmly lodged in the minds of all his friends.

COMPANIES INSTALL

Sheriff P. A Johns Entertains Them

at a Substantial Christmas Dinner

a fine dinner for the men on that day

ELECTRIC POWER.

PRACTICAL JOKE **INJURES YOUNG MAN.**

and hammered the rope in two so that it would not catch anyone else

DIDN'T KNOW THAT HE **KILLED NEGRO IN DARK**

jail prisoners had a good time Christ
McNell's Shoots Man Through Heart mas Day, thanks to the generosity of Then Retres To

BMONTOWN, Dec 26 -Carmack for the turkeys and chickens in the M McNelhs has surrencered to the county authorizes for dlling James neighborhood of the Juli as 20 turkeys Smith, a negro. McVellis sa s Smith and lo chickens met their death that and another negro wer) tiving to the prisoners might have a good meal break into the home of Joe Emerson. The other necessary frimmings were

arrested on charges of disorderly corquet as the former's home is said to ship where his father is a merchant He has been in the employe of the H hear an unsavory reputa ion

C Frick Coke (ompany at New Sal em for about seven years. They will reside at New Salem GREENSBURG, Pa. Dec 26-Be lieved to have dropped dead in his stable Vingenzo Russo, in Italian of Webster, this county, w. s late- dis covered to have been murdered by a went to Webster and held a post mor was instantly killed a wheel passing guests neath boxed in small boxes tem and inquest and the State police over his neck. were put to work on the case, but thus far no clue has been found.

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and authops. This attention to the cause of his death

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PRETTY SCOTTDALE WEDDING SOLEMNIZED.

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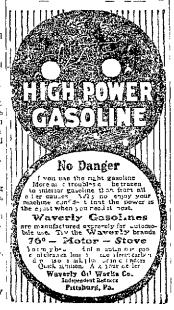
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BELIEVES LIFE SAVED BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

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Mr. Jean Bap te it in ud carryoyant, 275 Vittans t, Montreal, Que, Feb 20, 190°

SLEEP FOR BABIES

Rest for Mothers.

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UNIONTOWN Dec 26-The 154 CHRISTMAS WEDDING OF PROMINENT COUPLE Sheriff Johns who followed out the

policy of his predecessors in supplying Miss Laura Humphries and Frank Boyd Joined in Wedlock at High There was St Bartholomews day Noon Friday

> M ss Laura Humphi es daugh er of Mr and Mrs R 7

McNellis immediate) surrendered to English Lutherm Church at Sharps Humphries of Scotdale. The bride the authorities burg. Pa. Rev. Theodore L. Crouse who was attended by her sisten Miss Emerson and the Aliff woman were officiating. Mr. Metz was formerly a Anna Humphries, wore a handsome resident of Ft London Franklin town gown of white muli and carried a bridal boquet of white roses

Alvin Ross, of washington ga, agen pink ross maining tren place a ter-16 years while hauling a load of oil ture was an immense bindil cake well tools fell from his wagon and which was afterwards given to the

with he names of the brite and groom \$3+000 112 per c.

Wr Boyd has been in the employ of Konn /t Bios broke
The Weekly Courier, \$100 a year the Waltersburg Coal and Coke Com picture of \$1,478 to

pany for some time and is well and favorably known. Mrs. Bood is well-known throughon Pavette count) and is a very chirming young lady.
The happy young couple let jesterday
afternoon for a short wedding trip and on their return will be it home to their friends at Waltersburg

The gress present were Rev Reed of Laurel Hill Mr and Mrs R. I Humphries Miss Anni and William

the School Board of Latiobe sold pen cent bonds to s brokerage firm at

Humphiles of Humphries Di and Vis Herbert Hall

SCHOOL BOARD WILL SEE THAT SECOND WARD SCHOOL IS SAFE.

Committee Appointed to Sink Hole In Property to Determine If Coal Is Beneath Building.

R. MARIETTA MAKES DENIAL.

Says His Company Has Not Mined a So As There is No Coal There.

ents who fear to end their children to the Second Ward school because they believe it dargerous the School

building her will have a hole sunk on the property to determine whether there is my coul under the building If coal is found a careful investiga thon will be made to determine which er any has been emoved from be neath the building

The opinion prevails that there is no coal beneath the property and if there s it is so close to the outcromethat it could not be mined at a profit sufficient to variant being talen out According to the best geological in formation at ham the coal should have cropped out seto e seaching the

chool pro, erty

If the School Board wants to save Shoully after 19 o clock an elegan money and rave his matter settled dinner was served by Mrs C L Cram bound any doubt why doesn't it send or and Miss Maude Cooper, daughters

when grired circultum regarding the condition of the building Quiter to some of the most enjoyable and notable ones ever held in Frankling to some of the children those who were not arrived to the children the bein holidry and township so soon cok advintage of the opportunity to play upon the fears of their parents and remain at home. Other youngaters who ried this little gime were sent off to chool s their par ents did nor share he belief that the

school is unsafe
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NEW COUNTY OFFICIALS ARE TAKING OATHS. and to Vice President Potter

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the oath of office to his successor

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ONE BOY PLAYED OUT

cross country Running Club statted Roosevelt at Harvard Another mem of the American Reduction Company from the corner of Main and Church be of the same class was Mr Huge of Phitsourg 1 its plant above West streets Christma atternoon a 2 L Bond second vice president and relock and rau '5 Scottdale making general counsel of the Baltimore & Cyll courts against the latter for dam the five rules in 1 minutes All he Ohio Radroad Company fellows haished with the exception one little fellor ramed Murphy who

New Trolley Line Opened The Pittsburg & Westmoreland toon with the Tri State Lumber Com. The List National Bank of New Street Railway Company opened also puny of unionown. He will have Kensington which was closed Novem new line between M Kensport and II charge of the developments of the raw ber 7 by National Bank Examiner John Irwin Tuesday mething. The electric line opens up a new territor; and the cars enter McKessport over the lines of the West P nn Railways Com

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VICTIM OF ROBBERS

Store Manager at Superior Bound

Gagged and Loft in Cold LATROBE Pa Dec _9 - (Special Pound of Coal From Beneath the Building and Could Not Have Done So As There is No Coal There. remained over 24 hours in a back yard where he was thrown by men who loot

ed the store Sunday morning Eleven masked men took the keys from Matthews entered the store and they believe it dai gerous the School Reard took action at a special meet ing Monday will thoroughly in vestigate the conditions which hive resulted, in this ag fation

Although the menters of the Board are a unit in their belief that no coal has been taken our from beneath the building her will have a hole smit. as postmaster at Superior and moved

CONGRESSMAN'S FATHER CELEBRATES.

Jeel Cooper, of Franklin Township With His Relatives.

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> in a short time A L. Burnes of the West Penn has resigned his position in the offices of the company here to accept a position With the General Electric Company in

PT. MARION BRIDGE PLANS. HUNDREDS FILE Retaining Wall Will Be Erected to Contractors Stratton and Lewis o ELECTION PAPERS, Pitisburg were in town Monday going over the plans at Engineer J B

Hoggs office for more work on the Point Marion bridge The County Com missioners pronose to building a re taining wall in connection with the

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TWO INJUNCTIONS.

PENNSY ADOPTS

Commissioner's Office Swamped With Large Number of Petitions.

the plans and these were inspected by the contractors. They built the foundations for the bridge and will OVER 300 ALREADY ON FILE.

> Others Are Arraying Hourly -- The Largest Number of Candidates in History Want to Secure Various Offices in Different Parts of County

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FAMILY OF LARGE PEOPLE.

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FIELD NEWS IN CONCISE FORM.

The Parker Rur Coal & Coke Company resumed work at its mine near Rivesville on the upper Monongahela on Monday, giving employment to 75

Reports from dealers indicate that coke is coming into more general use as a fuel for domestic purposes, particularly east of the Allegheny mount where the price of anthracity coal has been moving unwards.

ply Company 25 tons of candy were distributed as Christmas remem-brances. The Oliver & Snyder Steel Company, and other concerns also re membered their customers with time

The Ohio & West Virginia Coal & Coke Company has been organized in West Virginia with \$60,000 capital riock. The incorporators are George McClintic, W. G. Matthews, Wesley Mollohan, J. B. Peyton, Jr., and J. M. Adams, all of Charleston,

For the relief of the Marianna sufferers a total of about \$10,000 has been raised to date but more funds are needed to care for the widows and families of the men who lost their lives. Money and provisions are be-ing distributed by a committee of the Washington, Pa., Board of Trade.

The Lehigh Valley Coal Company has opened a school in connection with its Lost Creek, Pa., mines for the purpose of giving its employes free instruction in the common English branches and fitting them for special instruction in mining. Eighty schol-ars were enrolled on the opening right.

The Bessemer Coke Company has built three concrete oven-fronts at the Griffin No. I works at Masontown. 'The fronts have been in use 60 days and show no sign of deterioration. Sand, Portland cement and coke ashes were mixed. It is proposed to build coke oven walls with one part of cement, five of coke ashes and two of sharp sand while for the fronts one part of cement and one of sand is used

MINERS SEE TEST AT ARSENAL STATION.

Men From Mines of Keystone Coal Company Spent Profitable Day.

Nearly 150 of the employes of the Keystone Coal Corngany were instructed in means for preventing accidents and shown the agencies which produce explosions at the United States Geological Testing Laboratory on the Arsenal grounds, Pittsburg

the officials of the company who were business depression the works ran at with them expressed the utmost confidence that they will experience much shut down.

A great deal of time was spent by the members of the party in examining the safety appliances on exhibition at the laboratory. The room in which tests are made of the ability of the nen to withstand deadly gases was a specially strong attraction for many and there were frequent requests to be allowed to put on the oxygen helmets and growing in the control of the put of of the mets and go into it.

The explosion tests were, however, the feature of the day which most interested the visiting miners. Dust was ignited several times in the test-ing gallery. Several times it refused to ignite when an explosive was set off within it. Thee tests, which were 10 in number, were designed to show the men, especially the foremen among them, what sorts of explosives will produce explosions of mine dust. A program of the explosions was fur-nished the men and they were care-fully studied by all the visitors.

MEYERSDALE MAY GET NEW INDUSTRIES.

Board of Trade is Considering Several Propositions For Locating Factories Thers.

tuly landed, will prove of great bene-fit to Meyersdale and the surrounding community. Some time ago there was a request for ground for the location. An extensive brick manufacturer of a silk mill, and the board is now has been in DuBois quite recently

Another thing that is being looked to warrant the building of fire brick up is the feusibility of piping gas into works there. ginia company which pass within s few miles of town. Other matters are being considered. S. C. Hartley, one of the most proningent local mer-quet of the Lancaster Board of Trade chasts is acting president of the on the evening of January 13. a composed of our teading capitalists, paretnets and buriness men.

TO ESTABLISH RESCUE DEPOTS.

Government Experts to Lend Aid in Mine Dis-

OXYCEN HELMETS TO BE USED

structions in Use of Latest Equipment by Means of Which Afterdamp and Gases May Bo Defied.

Washington, Dec. 28.-Carrying on; its afforts to reduce fatalities in coal mines the geological survey is about to establish rescue stations in the principal:coal fields in addition to the experiment station now located at Pittsburg. The new stations will be at or near the greatest centers of accidents, and it will be the purpose of the experts to teach the miners and mine bosses how to use apparatus for mine rescue work.

Government mining engineers he assigned to these stations and they will be ready at a moment's notice to go to any dissater in their districts. The experts will be equipped with oxy gen helmets, which will enable them to enter a mine at once even though it is filled with gas or smoke.

Those stations also will be head quarters of the engineers for the study of the waste of coal in mining, one of the important problems before the geo-

logical survey.

It is the intention to have every station fitted up with an air-tight room where gas can be generated. The cout mining companies are to be invited to send picked men to these stations, where they will be trained by the government experts in the use of the oxygen belinets. It is not the purpose of the government to engage in general rescue work, but rather to demonrescue work, but rather to demon-strate this apparatus until such time as the mineowners have thoroughly trained rescue crews at their mines.
All of the rescue stations are to be erected in cooperation with the mine

owners and state geological surveys.
George S. Rice, mining engineer. will have general charge of all mining inquiries at the stations and J. W. Paul, former state mine inspector of West Virginia, will have supervisory charge of all rescue work.

SHAFT WHEEL BROKE AT BRIER HILL MINE.

Accident and Work Will Resumi

Saturday. The tests continued during the forencon and afternoon, and all mission for several days as the contibe men found there very instructive, sequence of a serious accident which The party included miners and total men from 17 of the mines of Colonel Beorge F. Huff's company, and they were in charge of Assistant to the Ireasurerer F. B. Muller and Chief Engineer Robert Morts. The exhibitions given the near were in charge of J. C. Roberts on behalf of the testing laboratory.

The Buellest inter-The party included miners and fore-loccurred earlier in the week. While The men evince the liveliest inter- Brier Hill mine has not operated for

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Arrangements Being Made For the

January Meeting, The Fayette City Y. M. C. A. mining institute elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Arthur Neale, Superintendent of the Fayette City and Apollo mines, was unanimously elected President. After some spirited MEYERSDALE, Dec. 28.—The members of the recently organized Board Vice President. The office of Secreof Trade are said to be considering tary will be filled by John Hobaugh, several propositions which, if success. The duties of the Treasurer fall upon

Looking for a Site. in correspondence with the projectors looking up the possibility of finding of the enterprise.

> Governor Accepts. Governor Stuart has accepted an invitation to attend the annual ban-

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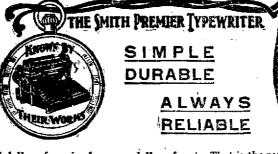
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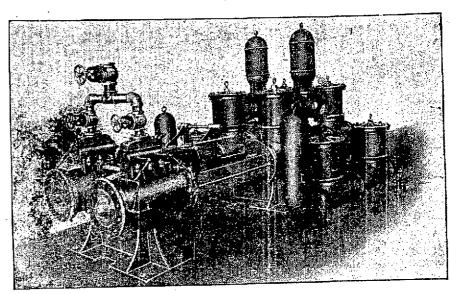
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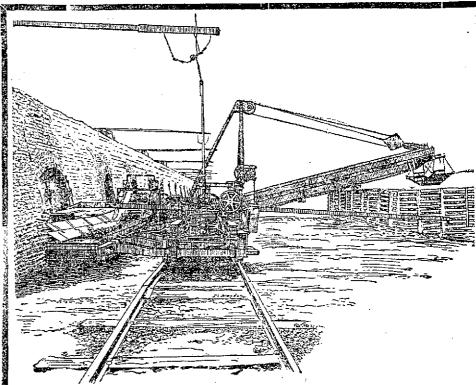
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